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88TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
SENATE TRANSCRIPT

97th Legislative Day

March 25, 1994

PRESIDENT PHILIP:

The regular Session of the 88th General Assembly will please come to order. Will the Members please be at their desks, and will our guests in the gallery please rise. Our prayer today will be given by Father Cassidy, Blessed Sacrament Church, Springfield, Illinois. Father Cassidy.

FATHER CASSIDY:

(Prayer given by Father Cassidy)

PRESIDENT PHILIP:

Senator Butler.

SENATOR BUTLER:

Mr. President, I move that reading and approval of the Journals of Tuesday, March 22nd; Wednesday, March 23rd; and Thursday, March 24th, in the year 1994, be postponed, pending arrival of the printed Journals.

PRESIDENT PHILIP:

Senator Butler moves to postpone the reading and approval of the Journal, pending the arrival of the printed transcript. There being no objections, it is so ordered. Committee Reports.

SECRETARY HARRY:

Senator Watson, Chair of the Committee on Education, reports Senate Bills numbered 1324 and 1381 Do Pass.

Senator Hawkinson, Chair of the Committee on Judiciary, reports Senate Bills 1153, 1352, 1687, 1707, 1714, 1717 and 1722 Do Pass, and Senate Bills numbered 1223, 1253, 1369, 1437, 1513, 1517, 1545 and 1698 Do Pass, As Amended.

PRESIDENT PHILIP:

Senator Palmer, for what purpose do you arise?

SENATOR PALMER:

Thank you, Mr. President. I ask to have my name removed as the sponsor of Senate Bill 1456, and that Senator Barkhausen be shown as the sponsor of that bill.

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PRESIDENT PHILIP:

Senator Palmer has moved to change the sponsorship of Senate Bill 1456 from Senator Palmer to Senator Barkhausen. Without objection, so ordered.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WATSON)

Messages from the House, Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY HARRY:

...(microphone cutoff)...Joint Resolution 130, offered by Senator Weaver.

It's a Message from the House by Mr. Rossi, Clerk.

Mr. President - I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has adopted the following joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate:

(Secretary reads HJR No. 130)

Adopted by the House, March 24, 1994.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WATSON)

Senator Weaver.

SENATOR WEAVER:

Thank you, Mr. President. I move for the suspension of the rules for immediate consideration and adoption of this resolution.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WATSON)

Senator Weaver moves to suspend the rules for the purpose of the immediate consideration and adoption of House Joint Resolution 130. Those in favor, say Aye. Opposed, Nay. And the Ayes have it, and the rules are suspended. Senator Weaver has moved for the adoption of House Joint Resolution 130. Those in favor, say Aye. Opposed, Nay. The Ayes have it, and the motion is adopted. Resolutions, Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY HARRY:

Senate Resolution 1178, offered by Senators Shadid and Hawkinson.

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And Senate Resolutions 1179, 1180, 1181, 1182 and 1183, offered by Senator Hall and all Members.

They're all congratulatory, Mr. President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WATSON)

Consent Calendar. House Bill 1st Reading.

SECRETARY HARRY:

House Bill 537, offered by Senator Dillard.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

1st Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WATSON)

Senator Donahue, for what purpose do you arise?

SENATOR DONAHUE:

Well, thank you, Mr. President. I would request that the record show that Senator Geo-Karis and Senator Syverson are absent due to illness. Senator Raica is home recuperating from surgery, and Senator Dudycz is in the Ukraine, at the request of the United States Government. Senator Hawkinson is representing the Senate President in Chicago at a Juvenile Task Force meeting. Thank you.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WATSON)

The record will so reflect. Thank you. We will now proceed to the Order of Resolutions Consent Calendar. With leave of the Body, all those will be read in today, and will be added to the Consent Calendar. Mr. Secretary, have there been any objections filed to any resolution on the Consent Calendar?

SECRETARY HARRY:

No objections have been filed, Mr. President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WATSON)

Any discussion? If not, the question is, shall the resolutions on the Consent Calendar be adopted. All those in favor, say Aye. Opposed, Nay. The motion carries, and the resolutions are adopted. The intent of the Chair is now to go to the Order of 2nd Reading. Members are advised to turn to page 2

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of the Calender. On the top of page 2 is the Order of 2nd Reading, and we'll begin there and proceed through all of our 2nd Readings. Senate Bill 393. Senator Woodyard. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY HARRY:

Senate Bill 393.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments, Mr. President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WATSON)

3rd Reading. Senator Demuzio, for what purpose do you arise?

SENATOR DEMUZIO:

Just a point of personal privilege. I'd just like the record to reflect that before we began, I think, on 2nd Reading, there were fifty-eight bills on there. I think eight were Democrat and fifty were Republican. I was hoping that the percentage would improve after we get done with this 2nd Reading experiment this morning.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WATSON)

Oh, I'm sure it will. Thank you, Senator. Senate Bill 481. Senator Butler. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY HARRY:

Senate Bill 481.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. The Committee on Commerce and Industry adopted Amendment No. 1.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WATSON)

Have there been any Floor amendments?

SECRETARY HARRY:

No further amendments reported, Mr. President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WATSON)

3rd Reading. Senate Bill 1110. Senator Shadid. We're on 2nd

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Reading, Senator. Would you like to proceed with the bill to move it to 3rd? Out of the record. Senate Bill 1146. Senator Klemm. Senate Bill 1147. Senator Hawkinson. Senator -- or, excuse me. Senate Bill 1191. Senator Klemm. Senate Bill 1200. Senator Klemm. Senate Bill 1206. Senator Petka. Senator Petka? Senate Bill 1206. Do you wish to proceed? Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY HARRY:

Senate Bill 1206.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WATSON)

3rd Reading. Senate Bill 1228. Senator Topinka. Senate Bill 1230. Senator Woodyard. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY HARRY:

Senate Bill 1230.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments, Mr. President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WATSON)

3rd Reading. Senate Bill 1232. Senator Shadid. This is Senate Bill 1232. It's on 2nd Reading, Senator. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY HARRY:

Senate Bill 1232.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. The Committee on Judiciary adopted Amendment No. 1.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WATSON)

Have there been any Floor amendments that have been approved for consideration?

SECRETARY HARRY:

No further amendments reported, Mr. President.

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3rd Reading. Senator -- 1251. Senator Geo-Karis. Senate Bill 1258. Senator Hasara. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY HARRY:

Senate Bill 1258.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations adopted Amendment No. 1.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WATSON)

Have there been any Floor amendments that have been approved for consideration?

SECRETARY HARRY:

No further amendments reported, Mr. President

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WATSON)

3rd Reading. Senate Bill 1260. Senator Hasara. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY HARRY:

Senate Bill 1260.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WATSON)

3rd Reading. Senate Bill 1267. Senator Woodyard. Senator Woodyard, on 1267? Please read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY HARRY:

Senate Bill 1267.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. The Committee on Agriculture and Conservation adopted Amendment No. 1.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WATSON)

Have there been any Floor amendments that have been approved for consideration?

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No further amendments reported, Mr. President.

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3rd Reading. Senate Bill 1339. Senator DeAngelis. Senate Bill 1365. Senate Committee on Revenue. Senate Bill 1516. Senator Tom Dunn. Senate Bill 1524. Senator Burzynski. Senate Bill 1570. Senator Topinka. Senate Bill 1594. Senator Watson. Senate Bill 1686. Senator Philip. 1686. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY HARRY:

Senate Bill 1686.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments, Mr. President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WATSON)

3rd Reading. Senate Bill 1688. Senator Philip. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY HARRY:

Senate Bill 1688.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WATSON)

3rd Reading. Senate Bill 1708. Senator Woodyard. Senate Bill 1709. Senator Maitland. Senate Bill 1710. Senator Maitland. Senate Bill 1712. Senator Geo-Karis. 1719. Geo-Karis. Senate Bill 1726, Geo-Karis. Senate Bill 1746. Senator Donahue. Senate Bill 1747. Senator Donahue. Senate Bill 1755. Senator Maitland. Please read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY HARRY:

Senate Bill 1755.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments.

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3rd Reading. Senate Bill 1771. Senator Maitland. Please read the bill.

SECRETARY HARRY:

Senate Bill 1771.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WATSON)

3rd Reading. Senate Bill 1773. Senator Butler. Please read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY HARRY:

Senate Bill 1773.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WATSON)

3rd Reading. Senate Bill 1776. Senator Maitland. Please read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY HARRY:

Senate Bill 1776.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations adopted Amendment No. 1.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WATSON)

Have there been any Floor amendments that have been approved for consideration?

SECRETARY HARRY:

No further amendments reported, Mr. President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WATSON)

3rd Reading. Senate Bill 1803. Senator Geo-Karis. Resolutions, Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY HARRY:

Senate Resolution 1184 is offered by Senator Garcia. It's substantive.

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Is there any further business to come before the Senate? If not, Senator Sieben moves that the Senate stand adjourned until 2 o'clock, Tuesday, March 29th. Have a good weekend.

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